

**PATENT**

Case Docket No. CEDAR.001A

Date: November 6, 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Neal L. Eigler et al.
App. No. : 10/628,880
Filed : July 28, 2003
For : METHODS AND APPARATUS
FOR ATRIOVENTRICULAR
VALVE REPAIR
Group Art Unit : 3763

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

ATTENTION: MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f), which was mailed by the Office on October 23, 2003, enclosed are:

- (X) An executed Declaration by Inventors.
- (X) A Power of Attorney Form and Copy of Assignment.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- (X) A Notice to File Missing Parts.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Fees as calculated below:

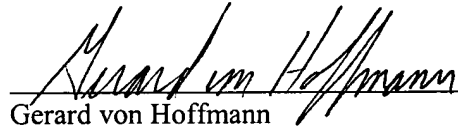
FILING FEE & ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEES	\$2,468
SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e)	\$ + 130
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS	\$2,598
REDUCTION BY ½ FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY. Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28. If applicable, verified statement must be attached.	\$ - 1,299
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HEREWITH	\$1,299

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- (X) A check in the amount of \$1,299 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.


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